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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
ISAMU SATO) : Examiner: H. Pham
Application No.: 10/043,126) : Group Art Unit: 2861
Filed: January 14, 2002) :
For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS,) July 21, 2003
AND MEMORY CONTROL)
METHOD FOR IMAGE FORMING)
APPARATUS) :

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits of above-identified application, please amend the above-identified application as follows: